

By Prof. W. F. MASSEY

Preventing Pear Blight. No amount of spraying will avail anything in preventing the fire blight of pears. The richer the soil and the more rapid the growth, the more seriously the tree will be attacked seriously by the blight. The trees are brought in the early spring on the feet of bees and other insects on the visit the blossoms, and the more tender and succulent the growth, the more rapidly the blight spreads over the limbs. Something can be done by keeping a close watch on the trees and noting the first appearance of blight on a shoot by the shriveling of the bark. If this is cut out well before the blight has had time to turn black, the greater part of the limb can be saved that would be destroyed if the blight is let progress down

What Legume Grasses Shall We Grow?
While pure grass hay may be made very well for horses and mules, it is a poorer material for milch cows and beef cattle than hay made from legume plants. Of course, we have the mixture of timothy and clover, and Mr. O. S. Sady, a very successful farmer in North Carolina, sows a mixture of red top, Sapping clover and timothy and doubtless in this way gets a very good hay for all stock. But for lowland Tidewater Virginia, timothy is a rather uncertain crop, and it is apt to run away quickly, and where one is growing hay to feed his cows and steers, I had rather have the pure cow pea hay than any grass growth.

His Praise of Kaiser as Great
Peacemaker Called In-
consistent.

"If Germany was without an army and navy; if Germany had no trained soldiers and competent officers, does any one suppose war would have been averted during the past twenty-five years? When Mr. Carnegie praises the German Emperor he praises just

German Emperor as the greatest peace preserver of the world, when we all know that he has been potent as a peace man only because Germany had an army and navy which maintained her national honor and protected German interests both at home and abroad."

Several Persons Are Injured and
Much Property Is
Damaged.

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ance, was paroled recently by Governor Mann, because of the fact that Runion's wife had died in the meantime, leaving their children in destitute circumstances, but, thereby,

gina Court Clerks' Association, of which Phillip H. Gold, of Winchester is president, will be held in Charlottesville on August 21 and 22. The association was organized several years ago for the purpose of getting the court clerks of the State together, so that they could better protect their interests. Many of the clerks are said to favor a reduction of fees, provided their salaries are increased. The

juicy country-cured hams at Berryville, Clarke County, this week? Is the question being asked in that town. Ellis Sloan, a very black youth with an abundance of white in his eyes, denies the charge, but he has been held for the grand jury just the same. Some

of the hams, were recovered in a store where they had been sold.

Alfred E. Pearsell, a real Bohemian, attracted a vast deal of attention and curiosity in towns and villages along the Valley Turnpike, between Winchester and Staunton, this week while on his way to Florida, where he has a bungalow. He travels in a Dayton wagon, which is fully equipped for one fond of stopping wherever he pleases. Two excited persons, with

New York Press Club. His daughter who lives at Buena Vista, Va., will be visited, and Pearsell will then con-

Strike for Higher Wages.

Stonemasons employed on the new Masonic temple at Shepherdstown, W. Va., struck for higher wages several days since, but failed to get the raise and their places were filled by others, thus making it possible for the strike to be broken. The men were formed by the grand master and other officers of the grand lodge of Masons in West Virginia.

A charter has been obtained from the United States Corporation for the Warren Copper and Mining company, with headquarters at Front Royal, it being the intention of the company to develop some very promising copper deposits in Warren and Pike Counties. Some of the

which is along the western slope of the Blue Ridge and Massanutten Mountains, is in the vicinity of the main

The Virginia Horticultural Society is arranging to hold a series of apple packing demonstrations this summer during the early fall season. The packing schools, as they are called, have been very successful in recent years, the apple growers having acquired much valuable information in reference to the packing of apples in such a manner that will result in their obtaining more money for the fruit.

Complain of Foxes.

Farmers of Clarke County are complaining of the depredations of foxes, and particularly their killing of many young turkeys. Mrs. John H. Huyett, whose large flock has suf-

Committees in charge of the arrangements for the annual reunion of the Fellows of the Virginias, District Columbia, Maryland and Pennsylvania to be held at Pen Mar on August 7.


and Frank H. Kiblinger, of St. Paul, Minn., were married this week in Washington by Rev. W. I. McKenney. Pretending they were going on a dining trip to a summer resort near Harrisonburg, the young couple drove to Linville, the first station north of the Southern Railway, and started for Washington, but the train upon which they rode went only as far as Strasburg.

the trip in eighty days. Wolf said he was laid up for three days in Washington by illness, and that some one had stolen over \$600 souvenir post-cards which he sells en route.

Preparations are being made for an annual exhibition of the Clarke Co-

ty Horse and Colt Show Association, which will be held on the society grounds in the western suburb of Berryville, on August 12, 13 and 14. The grounds and buildings have been thoroughly renovated, and more show baths have been installed for the convenience of exhibitors. P. H. Fowler, the treasurer, has received a large number of entries thus far than he has for the corresponding day of last year.

mont Pike, which passes the ground is being thoroughly oiled and rendered dustless. Many of the United States



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